

COMMON INCIDENT COMMAND CENTER SITUATIONS

ORGANIC CHEMICALS

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Potential Contacts and/or Report Distribution: (BOLD = REQUIRED CONTACTS)

- **HWP, Regional Office**, EPA. Also consider Drinking Water Branch (DWB), Water Pollution Branch) WPB, and MDC if near or impacting a waterway. MoDOT (if along a highway). SEMA if evacuations were made.
- E-mail (January 4, 2005 memo on Guidance for EER E-Mail Messages) if an EER Response is made.

Duty Officer Considerations:

- EER response is warranted if release is above RQ, is not contained, poses immediate threat to public health and the environment, no RP is present, or other such circumstances.
- Advise caller of spill notification and clean-up responsibility.
- Advise RP to contain the release with dikes, dams, interceptor trenches, etc.
- Contact RP to ensure that cleanup will be completed. Provide environmental contractor information if requested.
- Clean-up small releases to sight and smell. Larger releases that have impacted public health and the environment should meet clean-up objectives established by the DNR Programs or other pertinent agencies with regulatory authority.